

It is unconscionable to enact the proposed rules about media ownership without adequate public comment and public hearings. The proposed rules will move us very far down the road toward extremely centralized ownership of mass media, and therefore centralized ownership of information.

If we are to maintain a truly representative form of government, then this centralization of media ownership cannot be allowed to happen.

The role of the FCC in this case MUST be to preserve our representative form of government, which requires the FCC to oppose this proposed rule.

History could well judge this rule, if it is passed, as the death knell of the United States as a free country.